THE HONORABLE THOMAS S. ZILL Y 1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 8 LVB-OGDEN MARKETING, LLC, No. 2:18-CV-00243 9 Plaintiff, **DECLARATION OF JONATHAN J.** 10 FARIA IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER 11 v. 12 DAVID S. BINGHAM, SHARON BINGHAM, CHRISTOPHER BINGHAM, CHERISH BINGHAM, KELLY BINGHAM, 13 BINGO INVESTMENTS, LLC, CCRB ENTERPRISES, LLC, SKBB 14 ENTERPRISES, LLC, PARK PLACE MOTORS, LTD., HYTECH POWER, INC., 15 HENRY DEAN, in his individual capacity and as Trustee for the SHARON GRAHAM 16 BINGHAM 2007 TRUST, and BGH 17 HOLDINGS, LLC, Defendants. 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

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I, Jonathan J. Faria, declare as follows:

- 1. I am a partner at Kirkland & Ellis LLP and represent Plaintiff LVB-Ogden Marketing, LLC ("LVB") in this action. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and could and would testify competently to the facts if called as a witness.
- 2. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 18, 2017 from counsel for Defendants, R. Bruce Johnston, to counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian.
- 3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 21, 2018 from counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian, to counsel for Defendants, R. Bruce Johnston.
- 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 21, 2018 from counsel for Defendants, Dennis J. McGlothin, to counsel for LVB, Jonathan J. Faria.
- 5. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 4** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 21, 2018 from counsel for Defendants, R. Bruce Johnston, to counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian.
- 6. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 5** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 22, 2018 from counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian, to counsel for Defendants, R. Bruce Johnston.
- 7. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 6** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 24, 2018 from counsel for Defendants, Manish Borde, to counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 7** is a true and correct copy of Defendants' Notice of Taking Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6) Deposition of LVB-Ogden Marketing, LLC, which was attached to the aforementioned May 24, 2018 letter.
- 8. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 8** is a true and correct copy of a letter dated May 29, 2018 from counsel for LVB, Jeffrey L. Willian, to counsel for Defendants, Manish Borde.
- 9. On March 31, 2018, counsel for LVB met and conferred with counsel of record for Defendants in this litigation by telephone. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 9** is a true and correct copy

¹ This included R. Bruce Johnston, Emanuel Jacobowitz, Nathan Arnold, Dennis McGlothin, Scott Henrie and Manish Borde.

of an email string dated March 31, 2018 between counsel for Defendants and counsel for LVB summarizing this meet and confer discussion.

- 10. On June 5, 2018, counsel for LVB met and conferred again by telephone with the same counsel for Defendants. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 10** is a true and correct copy of an email string dated June 5 through June 7, 2018 between counsel for Defendants and counsel for LVB summarizing that June 5, 2018 meet and confer discussion by telephone, and reflecting further meet and confer communications.
- 11. As discussed above, in LVB's Motion, and as demonstrated in the exhibits attached hereto, LVB has engaged in good faith meet and confer telephone conferences and e-mail exchanges with counsel for Defendants in an effort to resolve the instant dispute without court action.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in Los Angeles, California this 7th day of June, 2018.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE 1 I hereby certify that on June 7, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing with the 2 Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to 3 the individuals listed below at the email addresses set forth below. 4 5 Emanuel Jacobowitz R. Bruce Johnston 6 Nathan J. Arnold JOHNSTON JACOBOWITZ & ARNOLD, PC 7 2701 First Avenue, Suite 200 8 Seattle, WA 98121 Telephone: (206) 866-3230 9 Email: manny@jjalaw.com bruce@rbrucejohnston.com 10 Nathan@jjalaw.com Attorneys for Defendants David S. Bingham, Sharon Bingham, Christopher Bingham, 11 Cherish Bingham, Kelly Bingham, Bingo Investments, LLC, and CCRB Enterprises, LLC 12 Scott B. Henrie 13 Manish Borde WILLIAMS KASTNER & GIBBS PLLC 14 601 Union Street, Suite 4100 Seattle, Washington 98101-2380 15 Telephone: (206) 628-6600 16 Email: shenrie@williamskastner.com mborde@williamskastner.com 17 Attorneys for Defendant Park Place Motors, Ltd. and Henry Dean as Trustee for the Sharon Graham Bingham 2007 Trust 18 Dennis J. McGlothin 19 Robert J. Cadranell, II 20 WESTERN WASHINGTON LAW GROUP PLLC 7500 212th St. S.W., Suite 270 21 Edmonds, WA 98026 Phone: 425-428-7296 22 Email: dennis@westwalaw.com robert@westwalaw.com 23 Attorneys for Defendants Henry Dean in his individual capacity and BGH Holdings, LLC 24 25 26

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